## SECOND REGULAR SESSION

## **House Concurrent Resolution No. 6**

## 91ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Whereas, on September 11, 2001, terrorists hijacked and destroyed four civilian aircraft, crashing two of them into the towers of the World Trade Center in New York City, and a third into the Pentagon outside Washington, D.C.; and

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Whereas, thousands of innocent Americans were killed or injured as a result of these attacks, including the passengers and crew of the four aircraft, workers in the World Trade Center and in the Pentagon, rescue workers and bystanders; and

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**Whereas**, these attacks destroyed both towers of the World Trade Center, as well as adjacent buildings and, by targeting symbols of American strength and success, clearly were intended to intimidate our Nation and weaken its resolve;

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Now, therefore, be it resolved that the members of the House of 13 14 Representatives of the Ninety-first General Assembly, First Extraordinary Session, the Senate concurring 15 therein, recommend that Congress condemns in the strongest possible terms the terrorists who 16 planned and carried out the September 11, 2001, attacks against the United States, as well as 17 their sponsors; that we extend our deepest condolences to the victims of these heinous and 18 cowardly attacks, as well as to their families, friends and loved ones; that the people of Missouri 19 will stand united as our Nation begins the process of recovering and rebuilding in the aftermath 20 of these tragic acts; that we commend the heroic action of the rescue workers, volunteers, and 21 State and local officials who responded to these tragic events with courage, determination, and 22 skill; that we declare that these premeditated attacks struck not only at the people of America, 23 but also at the symbols and structures of our economic and military strength, and that the United 24 States is entitled to respond under international law; that we extend our thanks to those foreign 25 leaders and individuals who have expressed solidarity with the United States in the aftermath of 26 the attacks, and ask them to continue to stand with the United States in the war against 27 international terrorism; that we commit to support increased resources in the war to eradicate

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28 terrorism; and that we support the determination of the President, in close consultation with

29 Congress, to bring to justice and punish the perpetrators of these attacks as well as their sponsors;

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Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of

33 Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for